

IGS Points of Understanding Statement

Students traveling outside the city on programs are, in response to new physical and human environments, subject to additional risks. This places others at risk, including supervising teachers, instructors, and other students. During such activities students need to be able to utilise their good critical thinking and reasoning skills, and to have sound mental and emotional wellbeing.

If the School is not satisfied that a particular student is fit to participate in the program, the School may require additional information including a medical report or may not allow the student to participate in the program at the School's absolute discretion.

Parents and students are reminded:

Parents accept that students will be exposed to and participate in activities on the Year 11 SAGE trip. These may involve risks that students may not experience whilst at school.

Students who are under the care of IGS staff away from school are expected to comply with directions given by teachers and other authorities, to follow the rules of the staff at the accommodation site, and to comply with the rules and instructions of staff at activity venues.

A student may be asked by the School to leave the program and return to IGS if the School does not consider it appropriate for the student to remain on-site for reasons such as:

- the student is not meeting the expectations of the supervising staff
- the School becoming aware of a problem relating to a student
- a student placing themselves, or any other student or staff member, at risk of harm
- a student consuming, purchasing, or carrying illegal substances.

If the School becomes aware of a problem relating to a student, the School will inform the parents of the issue and ask them to make decisions relating to the student's wellbeing. In the event that the parents are not available, the School will contact the emergency contacts nominated by the parents and invested with responsibility by the parents. However, the final decision on whether the student remains on the program is the Schools.

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